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Mail Stop Patent Application
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NEW APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL

Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of Inventor(s): **Markus Singer;
Wolf-Dieter Hoenl; Thomas Moedinger; and Patrick Foussier**

For (title): **A PYROTECHNIC DRIVE**

Enclosed are:

1. Papers Required for Filing Date Under 37 CFR 1.53(b):

- 9 Pages of specification
- 1 Pages Abstract
- 3 Pages of claims
- 11 Sheets of drawing
- ☒ formal (Figs. 1-15)
- ☐ informal

In addition to the above papers there is also attached:

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.10

I hereby certify that this New Application Transmittal and the documents referred to as enclosed therein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service on this date **March 26, 2004** in an envelope as "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" Mailing Label Number **ET-035757665US** addressed to Mail Stop Patent Application, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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2. Declaration or oath:

☒ Enclosed (Executed)

☐ Not Enclosed.

3. Language:

☒ English

☐ Non-English

☐ A verified English translation of the

☐ specification and claims

☐ declaration

is attached.

4. Assignment:

☒ An assignment of the invention to TRW Automotive GmbH

☒ is attached.

☐ will follow

5. Certified Copy:

Certified copy (ies) of application (s)

Germany	203 05 088.6	28-Mar-03
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from which priority is claimed

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6. **Fee Calculation:**

(Small entity filing fee is 50% normal fee)

CLAIMS AS FILED				
Number Filed		Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee
				\$ 770.00
Total Claims	26	-20 =	6 X \$ 18.00	108.00
Independent Claims	1	- 3 =	0 X \$ 86.00	0.00
Multiple dependent claim(s), if any			0 + \$290.00	0.00

- ☐ Amendment canceling extra claims enclosed
- ☐ Amendment deleting multiple dependencies enclosed
- ☐ Fee for extra claims is not being paid at this time

Filing Fee Calculation **\$878.00**

7. **Small Entity Statement**

- ☐ The present application is being filed by or on behalf of a **small entity** as defined in 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 for purposes of paying reduced fees.

8. **Fee Payment Being Made At This Time:**

Enclosed:

- ☒ basic filing fee **\$878.00**
- ☒ assignment recordal fee **\$ 40.00**
- ☐ for processing an application with a specification in a non-English language \$ _____

Total fees enclosed \$918.00

9. **Method of Payment Fees:**

- ☒ check in the amount of **\$918.00** enclosed.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any **DEFICIENCY** in the filing fees for this application to our Deposit Account No. 20-0090.

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